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St. James's, August 19.

ON Sunday last One of the King's Meſſengers arrived here with the Ratification of the Proviſional Articles, ſigned the 30th of November laſt, which was exchanged on the 13th Inſtant at Paris, between His Majeſty's Plenipotentiary and the Plenipotentiaries of the United States of America.

St. James's, August 19

The King has been pleaſed to appoint Alleyne Fitz-Herbert, Eſq; to be His Majeſty's Envoy Extraordinary and Miniſter Plenipotentiary to the Court of Peterſburgh.

AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 15th of *Auguſt*, 1783,

PRESENT,

The KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS, upon Information received that the Plague had broke out at Cherſon, at Oczakow, in the Country which is called the Tartary of Oczakow, and in the Crimea, and had manifeſted itſelf likewiſe upon the Frontiers of Poland, His Majeſty was pleaſed, by His Order in Council of the 25th of July laſt, to direct, that all Ships and Veſſels then arrived, or that ſhould thereafter arrive from Dantzick, or any other Port or Place in Royal or Ducal Pruſſia or Pomerania, ſhould make their Quarantine for Forty Days: And whereas there was this Day read at the Board a Letter from the Right Honourable Lord Viſcount Dalrymple, His Majeſty's Miniſter Plenipotentiary at Warſaw, ſtating, that notwithſtanding the Reports that had been ſpread, the Plague had not appeared in any Part of Poland; and that, according to the laſt Letters from Cherſon, no Symptoms of that Diſorder had been diſcovered there ſince the Beginning of June: His Majeſty, taking the ſame into Conſideration, and being deſirous to remove all Reſtraints upon Trade, ſo far as may be conſiſtent with the Safety of His Subjects, is pleaſed, with the Advice of His Privy Council, to order, as it is hereby ordered, that the Quarantine at preſent ſubſiſting upon all Ships and Veſſels coming from Dantzick, or any other Port or Place in Royal or Ducal Pruſſia or Pomerania, be taken off; and that all Ships and Veſſels already arrived, or that may hereafter arrive from thoſe Places, be permitted to diſcharge their reſpective Ladings, without unpacking, opening and airing, and without performing any Quarantine; provided that the Maſter or other Perſon taking Charge of ſuch Ship or Veſſel, do firſt make Oath before the Cuſtom-Houſe Officer or Chief Magiſtrate at the Place to which ſuch Ships are bound, that their Crews are free from all Infection, and that they have not had Communication with any Ship or Veſſel coming from any infected Place.—And the Right Honourable the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, the Commiſſioners for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Maſter-General of the Ordnance, His Majeſty's Secretary at War, and the Governors or Commanders in Chief for the Time being of the Iſles of Jerſey, Guernſey, Alderney, Sark and Man, are to give the neceſſary Directions herein, as to them may reſpectively appertain.

W. Fawkener.

Oſtend, Auguſt 13. The Baſon which his Imperial Majeſty ordered to be conſtructed at this Port being completed, this Day was appointed for its being opened for the Reception of Ships. The Ceremony was performed in Preſence of their Royal Highneſſes the Governors General, accompanied by Count Belgioioſo, and ſeveral other Perſons of Diſtinction.

Office of Ordnance, Auguſt 14, 1783.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Propoſals for furniſhing 300 *Chaldrons of Long Benton and* 140 *Chaldrons of Silvertop Pontop Coals, at Woolwich, will be received and opened in Preſence of the Principal Officers of His Majeſty's Ordnance, at their Office in St. Margaret's-ſtreet, Weſtminſter, on Thurſday next the* 21*ſt Inſtant. Payment to be made by Debenture in Courſe of Office.*

Eaſt India Houſe, Auguſt 13, 1783.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt-Indies do hereby give Notice,

That the Tranſfer Books of the Eaſt-India Annuities will be ſhut on Friday the 12*th of September next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Monday the* 13*th of October following.*

And that the Dividend Warrants, due the 10*th of ſaid October, will be ready to be delivered on Monday the* 3*d of November next.*

Eaſt-India Houſe, Auguſt 13, 1783.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt-Indies, do hereby give Notice,

That a Quarterly General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Houſe in Leadenhall-ſtreet, on Wedneſday the 24*th of September next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon; and to conſider the Caſe of Captain Thomas Walker, charged with not having regiſtered Goods according to the* 11*th,* 23*d, and* 51*ſt By-Laws.*

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majeſty's Armed Brig St. Philip's Caſtle, Lieutenant John Parker, Commander, and Cutter General Murray, Lieutenant Nicholas Jeſperſon, Commander, who were actually on Board at the Capture of the French Brig Bienfaiſant, that they will be paid the Prize-Money ariſing from the ſaid Capture, on Friday the 22*d Inſtant, at the French Horn, Crutched-fryars; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled every Thurſday, at No.* 15, *Savage gardens, London, for Three Years to come.*

Marſh *and* Creed, *Agents.*

[Price Three-Pence Halfpenny.]

London, Auguſt 18, 1783.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majeſty's Ships under-mentioned, who were actually on Board at the Capture of the following Prizes, and who have not received their Proportions at New York, where the ſame has been in Courſe of Payment from the Firſt Publication there, agreeable to the Dates under-mentioned:

Royal Oak, Captain Ardeſoif, for Ship Aurora and Sloop Phœnix.—October 11, 1781.

Intrepid, Captain J. P. Molloy, for Schooner Greyhound and Ship Charming Molly.—Jan. 31, 1781.

Ditto and Cyclops, Captain Robinſon, for Ship Tracey and Brig Providence.—Nov. 1, 1780.

Cyclops, Captain Robinſon, for Brig La Providence.—Nov. 26, 1781.

Roebuck, Captain Douglas, for Brigs Fanny and Succeſs, and Schooners Centurion and Mercury.—April 19, 1781.

Ditto, for Ship Confederacy.—June 23, 1781.

Ditto, for Ship Protector.—Sept. 8, 1781.

Ditto, for Brigs Fanny and Duke of Leinſter.—July 10, 1781.

Boreas, Captain C. Thompſon, for Brig Providence.—Nov. 27, 1781.

Vulture, Captain A Sutherland, and Otter, Captain R. Creyk, for Brig Granada.—Nov. 28, 1781.

Warwick, Hon. Captain Elphinſton, for Brigs Elizabeth and Experiment.—July 26, 1781.

Amphion, Captain Bazely, Britannia, Captain Sir J. Wheate, and Oſtrich, Captain Thornbrough, for Ship Jack and Harry and Brig Mary.—Sept. 10, 1781.

Charleſtown, Captain Evans; for Cutter Union.—May 17, 1781.

Ditto, for Ship Aurora and Sloop Phœnix.—Nov. 24, 1781.

Perſeus, Hon. Captain Elphinſtone, for the Firſt Diſtribution of ſundry Veſſels captured at Charleſtown on the 12th of May, 1780.—Feb. 14, 1781.

Chatham, Captain Orde, for Schooner Emilia, Brigs General Wayne and Crow Lane.—June 26, 1781.

Thames, Captain T. Howe, for Ship Recovery and Sloop Beaver.—Dec. 13, 1780.

Swift, Captain P. Aplin, for Ship Elizabeth.—Dec. 9, 1780.

Carysfort, Captain Peacock, for Schooner Emilia, Brigs Emilia and Crow Lane.—Aug. 25, 1781.

That they will be paid their reſpective Shares of Prize-Money for the foregoing Prizes, on Friday the 22d Inſtant, at the Two Brewers, in Wych ſtreet, behind St. Clement's Church in the Strand; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the ſame Place (unleſs otherwiſe advertiſed) on Friday the 29th Inſtant, and afterwards the Firſt and Third Tueſday of every Month, until Three Years are elapſed from the Date of the Firſt Publication in New York as above.

Samuel Kemble, *late of New York, Agent.*

London, Auguſt 18, 1783.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majeſty's Ship America, Samuel Thompſon, Eſq; Commander, who were actually on Board at the Capture of the Ship Roebuck, Brigs Hope, Mercury, Adventure, Sloop William, Ship Neptune, and Brig Mary, and who have not received their Proportion at New York, where the ſame has been in Courſe of Payment from the 1ſt Day of May, 1781, that they will be paid their reſpective Shares of Prize-Money for ſaid Prizes, on Friday the 22d Inſtant, at the Two Brewers, in Wych-ſtreet, behind St. Clement's Church in the Strand; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the ſame Place (unleſs otherwiſe advertiſed) on Friday the 29th Inſtant, and afterwards the Firſt and Third Tueſday of every Month until the 1ſt Day of May next.

Samuel Kemble, *late of New York,*
Hugh Wallace,
William Green,
} *Agents.*

London, Auguſt 18, 1783.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majeſty's Ships under-mentioned, who were actually on Board at the Capture of the following Prizes, and who have not received their Proportion at New York, where the ſame has been in Courſe of Payment, from the Firſt Publication there, agreeable to the Dates under-mentioned:

Solebay, Captain C. H. Everitt, for Lugger Amiable Elizabeth.—Oct. 11, 1781.

Ditto, for Schooner Reſource.—Oct. 29, 1781.

Savage, Captain Tho. Graves, for Schooner Shelah and Brig Betſey.—Dec. 13, 1780.

Ditto, for Brig Phœnix.—May 12, 1781.

Ditto, for Ship New Adventure.—July 10, 1781.

General Monk, Capt. J. Rogers, for Brig Swallow, Sloop Sally, Schooner Neptune, Sloop Mercury, Ship Trumbull, Brig Experiment, and Schooner Liberty.—Nov. 5, 1781.

Ditto, for Ship Columbia.—Aug. 18, 1781.

Ditto and Huſſar, Lieutenant J. Skinner, for Sloop Magdalen.—Sept. 10, 1781.

Rattleſnake, Captain J. Kempthorne, for Brig Dean.—Nov. 22, 1781.

That they will be paid their reſpective Shares of Prize-Money for the foregoing Prizes on Friday the 22d Inſtant, at the Two Brewers in Wych ſtreet, behind St. Clement's Church in the Strand; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the ſame Place (unleſs otherwiſe advertiſed) on Friday the 29th Inſtant, and afterwards the Firſt and Third Tueſday of every Month, until Three Years are elapſed from the Date of the Firſt Publication in New York, as above.

Samuel Kemble, *late of New York,*
George Graves,
} *Agents.*

London, Auguſt 18, 1783.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majeſty's Ship Iris, George Dawſon, Eſq; Commander, who were actually on Board at the Capture of the Prizes hereafter mentioned, and who have not received their Proportions at New York, where the ſame has been in Courſe of Payment, as follows, viz.

Privateer Brig Hector, from December 13, 1780.

Brig Maryland and Schooner Cherry Bounce, from February 23, 1781.

Ship Betſey and Polacre La Singe, from Auguſt 18, 1781.

Brig Peggy, Schooner Neilſon, and Ship Buckſkin Hero, from October 13, 1781.

Brig Jolly Tar, Ship Trumbull, Brig Experiment, and Schooner Liberty, from November 30, 1781.

That they will be paid their reſpective Shares of Prize-Money for the foregoing Prizes, on Friday the 22d Inſtant, at the Two Brewers in Wych-ſtreet, behind St. Clement's Church in the Strand; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the ſame Place (unleſs otherwiſe advertiſed) on Friday the 29th Inſtant, and afterwards the Firſt and Third Tueſday of every Month until Three Years are elapſed from the Date of the Firſt Publication at New York as above.

Samuel Kemble, *late of New York, Agent for the Hector.*

Samuel Kemble, *late of New York, and* William Wanton, *Agents for the Brig Maryland, Schooner Cherry Bounce, Ship Betſey, Polacre La Singe, Brig Peggy, Schooner Neilſon, Ship Buckſkin Hero, Brig Jolly Tar, Ship Trumbull, Brig Experiment, and Schooner Liberty.*

London, Auguſt 18, 1783.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majeſty's Ships Reſolution, Lord Robert Manners, Commander, Royal Oak, Sir Digby Dent, Commander, America, Samuel Thompſon, Eſq; Commander, Amphitrite, Robert Biggs, Eſq; Com-

mander, who were actually on Board at the Capture of the Ship Le Fargis, and who have not received their Proportion at New York, where the same has been in Course of Payment from the 28th Day of October, 1780, that they will be paid their respective Shares of Prize-Money for said Prize, on Friday the 22d Instant, at the Two Brewers in Wych street, behind St. Clement's Church in the Strand; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the same Place (unless otherwise advertised) on Friday the 29th Instant, and afterwards the First and Third Tuesday of every Month until the 28th Day of October next.

Sam. Kemble, *late of New York,*
Hugh Wallace,
George Graves,
} *Agents.*

London, August 18, 1783.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships under-mentioned, who were actually on Board at the Capture of the following Prizes, and who have not received their Proportions at New York, where the same has been in Course of Payment from the First Publication there, agreeable to the Dates under-mentioned:

Assurance, Captain W. Swiney, for Ship Rattlesnake, Brig Adventure, Schooner Salisbury, and Sloop Phœnix — Nov. 9, 1781.

Cormorant, Captain M'Evoy, for Schooner Betsey — July 10, 1781.

Halifax, Captain J. H. Bowers, for Schooner Ranger — May 12, 1781.

That they will be paid their respective Shares of Prize-Money for the foregoing Prizes on Friday the 22d Instant, at the Two Brewers in Wych street, behind St. Clement's Church in the Strand; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the same Place (unless otherwise advertised) on Friday the 29th Instant, and afterwards the First and Third Tuesday of every Month, until Three Years are elapsed from the Date of the First Publication in New York, as above.

Samuel Kemble, *late of New York,*
William Green,
} *Agents.*

London, August 18, 1783.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships under-mentioned, who were actually on Board at the Capture of the following Prizes carried into Jamaica, viz.

Bristol, Ruby and Lion, for the Ship St. Michael.
Glasgow, for the Juffrow Esther.
Pallas, for the Third Payment of the Ship Conception.
Bristol, for the Punch's Prizes and Punch Tender.
Emerald, for the Polacre St. Tropes.
Hornet, for the Polacre St. Tropes and Sloop Vigilant.
Winchsea, for the Polacre St. Tropes, Sloop Le Tereisa, Schooner Union, and Brig Lord Clare.

That they will be paid their respective Shares of the Produce of the said Prizes, at No. 11, Savage-gardens, Tower-hill, on Thursday the 21st Instant; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the same Place every Thursday till further Notice.

John Robinson, *of Kingston, Jamaica, Agent.*

London, August 19, 1783.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Romney, Reddam Home, Esq; Commander, who were actually on Board said Ship, on the 23d and 25th of April, 1780, at the Capture of the Neutralitet and Dame Claffina, that they will be paid the Final Distribution of said Prizes on Friday next the 22d Instant, at the House of Mr. Edward Mayne, No. 3, New Broad-street, London; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the same House the First Thursday in every Month for Three Years to come.

For Mayne and Co. of Lisbon, and William Julius Mickle, Edward Mayne.

London, August 18, 1783.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships the Raisonable, Henry Francis Evans, Esq; Commander, Virginia, John Ord, Esq; Commander, Canilla, John Collins, Esq; Commander, Greyhound, Archibald Dickson Esq; Commander, and Nautilus, Thomas Farnham, Esq; Commander, under the Command of Commodore Sir George Collier, who were actuall, on Board at the Capture of the following Vessels taken at Penobscot, viz. Ship Hambden, Ship Hunter, and Schooner Nancy, and who have not received their Proportions at New York, where the same has been in Course of Payment from October 7, 1780, that they will be paid their respective Shares of Prize-Money for said Prizes on Friday the 22d Instant, at the Two Brewers in Wych-street, behind St. Clement's Church in the Strand; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the same Place (unless otherwise advertised) on Friday the 29th Instant, and afterwards the First and Third Tuesday of every Month until the 7th Day of October next.

Samuel Kemble, *late of New York, Agent.*

FOR SALE,
At the Custom-House, PORTSMOUTH,
For HOME CONSUMPTION,
Clear of all DUTIES,

By Order of the Honourable the COMMISSIONERS of His Majesty's CUSTOMS, on Thursday the 21st Instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon,

THREE Hundred and Twenty-four Puncheons of real FRENCH BRANDY, over Proof, condemned in the Court of Exchequer, and has been in His Majesty's Cellars upwards of Two Years; to be sold in Lots of One Puncheon each, and to be viewed at Portsmouth Six Days preceding the Sale.

Samples of each Lot may likewise be seen and tasted in His Majesty's Warehouse at the Custom-House, London, upon Monday the 11th Instant and to the Time of Sale.

A Deposit of Ten Pounds on each Lot is to be paid at the Time of Sale, and the Remainder of the Purchase Money within Fourteen Days after.

WHEREAS Mr. John Hambrough, of Crutched fryars, London, Wine-merchant, hath assigned all his Estate and Effects to Trustees for the Benefit of themselves and the Rest of his Creditors for the Payment of their Debts; All Persons who have any Claim or Demand on the said John Hambrough, or his Estate and Effects, are desired to send in an Account thereof, and call at Mr. Jackson's Office, No. 45, Mark-lane, to execute the Deeds of Assignment of the said John Hambrough's Estate and Effects, on or before the 20th Day of October next, in order to entitle themselves to the Dividend intended shortly afterwards to be made of the Produce of the said Estate and Effects. And all Persons indebted to the Estate and Effects of the said John Hambrough, are required forthwith to pay the same to the said Mr. Jackson without further Notice.

THE Creditors of William Richardson and John Hamilton, late of London, Merchants and Copartners, who executed the Trust Deed of their Partnership Effects, bearing Date the 11th Day of February 1772, are requested to meet Benjamin Vaughan, Esq; the surviving Trustee of that Estate, on Thursday the 28th Day of August instant, at the George and Vulture Tavern, St. Michael's Alley, Cornhill, between the Hours of Ten and Three o'Clock, to ascertain a further Dividend which will be then paid to those Creditors who shall attend to receive the same, and on other special Affairs. And the Creditors who cannot then attend may afterwards receive their respective Demands on Application to Messr. Benjamin Vaughan and Son, Laurence Poultney-lane, London.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a certain Cause between Philip Cox and Robert Jones, Creditors of John Francis Moris and Joseph Caffarena, on Behalf of themselves and all other the Creditors who had executed a Deed of Assignment of the 15th Day of February, 1764, Plaintiffs, and Ann Devisme and others, Executors of Andrew Devisme, deceased, John Wilkinson, and Brough Maltby, by Original and Bill of Revivor, Defendants. all Persons claiming to be Creditors of the said John Francis Moris, deceased, and Joseph Caffarena, late of London, Merchants, under the said Deed of Assignment, or the Representative or Representatives of such Creditors named in the said Deed who are dead, are, before the 10th Day of April, 1784, peremptorily to come in before John Hett, Esq; One of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Serjeant's inn, Chancery-lane, London, and prove their several Debts, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.